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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRD, CE
SUBJ: REQUEST BY SMITH AND WESSON FOR INFORMATION ON OVERSEAS
TRADE SERVICES

TO: BEN MIEDEMA
INTERNATIONAL MARKETING
SMITH AND WESSON
SPRINGFIELD, MASS 01101
TELEX 95-5465

1. EMBASSY HAS NO RPT NO INFORMATION ABOUT OVERSEAS TRADE
SERVICES, 29 HAVELOCK ROAD, COLOMBO 5, IT NOT LISTED IN
TRADE DIRECTORIES AND TELEPHONE COMPANY HAS NO NUMBER LISTED
UNDER THAT NAME.

2. MINISTRY OF DEFENSE HAS INFORMED US THAT INVITATIONS TO TENDER
WERE ISSUED DIRECTLY TO INTENTIONAL SUPPLIERS AND NOT THROUGH
THIRD PARTIES. MINISTRY HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF OVERSEAS TRADE SERVICES.
REPEATED REQUESTS BY EMBASSY TO MINISTRY FOR COPY OF TENDER HAVE
SO FAR BEEN UNSUCCESSFUL. IF WE ARE ABLE TO OBTAIN A COPY, DETAILS
WILL BE FORWARDED THROUGH US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

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TELEX 0803-1305.
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NOTE BY OC/T: PASSED SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

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